ARIZONA France Market Profile

This summary provides the most up-to-date data available on France as it relates to their people and economy, travel related motivations and planning behavior and French visitor profile specific to Arizona.

GENERAL COUNTRY PROFILE

POPULATION:

66 million

INFLATION RATE:

0.1%

EXCHANGE RATES (EUR PER USD):

.885

Source:

The World Fact Book, reporting 2015 data

GROSS DOMESTIC PRODUCT (GDP):

\$2.6 trillion (1.1% annual growth rate)

EXPORTS:

\$509 billion

UNEMPLOYMENT RATE:

10.2%

TRAVEL MOTIVATION AND PLANNING



Top Travel Motivators

63% Local Lifestyle

56% Cultural Historical Attractions

40% Beaches/Seaside Attractions

36% Ecotourism/ Urban Attractions/ Nightlife



Source used in Destination selection for last leisure trip

64% Websites via computer or laptop

37% Information in printed travel guidebooks

36% Recommendation from family & friends



Advance Decision Time

17% Less than a month

17% 1 to 2 months

32% 3 to 5 months

27% 6 to 12 months

7% More than 1 year



Lodging Reservation made before leaving home

75% Yes

44% Internet Booking Service*

29% Travel Agency/Tour Operator/Travel Club

16% The Lodgng Establishment Directly

11% Other

25% No

^{*} assume "Internet Booking Service" is an Online Travel Agency (OTA).



How Air Reservations were Booked

43% Travel Agency/Tour Operator/Travel Club

32% Directly with Airline

27% Internet Booking Service*

5% Corporate Travel Department

Source:

Brand USA, reporting 2014 data
U.S. Dept. of Commerce - NTTO, reporting 2014-15 aggregate data

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FRENCH VISITATION TO ARIZONA



150000

Visitation Volume to Arizona



Visitor Characteristics

40 years

Average Age

\$76,598

Average Household Income

2.3 persons

Average Party Size



Length of Stay

33

Nights per Destination

17.8

Nights in U.S.



Port of Entry

51% Los Angeles, CA

17% San Francisco, CA

5% New York, NY

5% Chicago, IL

4% Minneapolis/ St. Paul MN



Main Purpose of Trip*

93% Leisure

91% Vacation Holiday

14% Visit Friends/Relatives

5% Education

9.4% Business

6.5% General Business

4.4% Convention/Conference/Trade Show

*Includes overlap of trips covering multiple purposes.



Transportation in U.S.

70% Rented Auto

34% City Subway/Tram/Bus

25% Air travel between U.S. cities

21% Bus between cities

15% Taxicab/Limousine



Visa Credit Card Travel Spending

French Visa Card Spending ranked #5 in 2015 with 2.8% of total International Travel Spending in Arizona.



Accommodations*

85% Hotel/Motel

8% Private Home

12% Other

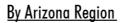
* since this is collected through a survey, there is no indication if this is paid or non-paid.

Source

Tourism Economics, reporting 2010-2015 data VisaVUE Travel, reporting 2015 data

U.S. Dept. of Commerce - NTTO, reporting 2014-15 aggregate data







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